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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FIRST-NAMED INVENTOR: Johansen

FOR: NOVEL NEUROTROPHIC FACTORS

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Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION-IN-PART APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

1. This is a request for filing a continuation-in-part application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b). This application claims priority to USSN 09/347,613, filed July 2, 1999, which in turn claims priority to USSN 60/103,908, filed October 13, 1998; DK 1998 01265, filed October 6, 1998; USSN 60/097,774, filed August 25, 1998; DK 1998 01048, filed August 19, 1998; USSN 60/097,774, filed July 9, 1998, and DK 1998 00904, filed July 6, 1998.
2. This application is a total of **105** pages. This application includes:
 - 79** pages of specification (not including claims, abstract, or figures)
 - 7** pages of claims
 - 1** page of abstract
 - 18** pages of drawings (informal)
3. A Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney (unsigned) is included.

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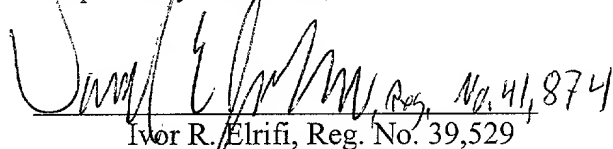
4. Fees associated with this application have been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowa nce	Numb er Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	54	- 20 =	34	\$18.00	\$612.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	8	- 3 =	5	\$80.00	\$400.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d))	-0-			\$270.00	-0-
				SUBTOTAL:	\$1,722.00
				Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity:	
				TOTAL FEE:	\$1,722.00

5. The Commissioner is authorized to the amount of **\$1,722.00**, and credit overpayments or charge any additional fees due, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 00689-511.

6. A return receipt postcard is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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